2. for the M&R — 4 Aug. 1879 63 see 62

Will one cent an oz. pay, to let those Tombstone bars in Mint order. —

They are very hard & intractable. By the present interp[n] of rules, I cannot charge more than 1 cent for tongueing; but if the M&R says they must be refined by acid, I could (& should) charge 1½. I wish you w[d] speak to the Supt. on this —

Du Bois